

TOWN OF LUNENBURG, MASSACHUSETTS FIRE DEPARTMENT

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FEE RATE SCHEDULE PERMIT/INSPECTION/COPIES FY 2010

Type of Permit	Fee	Form
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Blasting Permits <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May require paid fire detail 527 CMR 13.04(2&11); MGL c. 148 s. 13 	\$50.00	FP6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bonfires – Ceremonial <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May require paid fire detail 527 CMR 10.23; MGL c. 111 s. 142H/142I 	\$50.00	FP6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Burning Christmas Trees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May require paid fire detail 527 CMR 10.23; MGL c. 111 s. 142G 	\$50.00	FP6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cannon and Motor Firing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Site Visit Required 527 CMR 22.03 	\$50.00	FP6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Compressed Natural Gas <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 527 CMR 26.08 	\$50.00	FP6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cutting and Welding <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May required paid fire detail 527 CMR 39.04 	\$50.00	FP6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dust Explosion Prevention <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 527 CMR 10.16 	\$50.00	FP6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explosives or Black Powder Permit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 527 CMR 13.04 	Residential / Commercial \$25.00 / \$50.00	FP6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fire Protection Equipment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 527 CMR 10.03(15); MGL c. 148 s. 27A 	\$50.00	FP6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fire Protection System <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 527 CMR 10.03(15) 	\$50.00	FP6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fire Works Display Permit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requires paid fire detail 527 CMR 2.05; MGL c. 148 s. 39A 	\$50.00	FP6

• Flammable and Combustible Liquids (Above Ground)		FP6
<u>Storage Tanks</u>	<u>Install</u> <u>Removal</u>	
Under 5000 Gallons	\$50.00 \$50.00	
Greater than 5000 Gallons	\$50.00 \$50.00	
Installation Permits – Storage Tanks		
527 CMR 14.03, 15.04; MGL c. 148 s. 23		
• Flammable and Combustible Liquids (Under Ground)		FP292
<u>Storage Tanks</u>	<u>Install</u> <u>Removal</u>	
Under 5000 Gallons	\$50.00 \$50.00	
Greater than 5000 Gallons	\$50.00 \$50.00	
MGL c. 148 s. 38A		
• Flammable Gases and Solids	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 14.03		
• Fuel Transfer Operations	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 5.08		
• Fumigation and Insecticidal Fogging	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 10.06		
• Hazardous Substances, Left Unattended	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 25.08		
• Limited Special Effects	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 2.09		
• LP Gas Storage Permits	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 6.08		
• Matches	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 10.18		
• Oil Burner Permit / Inspection	\$50.00	Form 1
Oil Burner with tank charged one fee of		
527 CMR 4.03		
• Open Air Fires		
Cooking Fires	No charge	None
Fire Chief currently does not require permits for cooking fires. Residents are encouraged to call the Fire Department at 978-582-4155 to notify if having a cooking fire. Cooking fires can not be utilized in place of open burning.		
1. Fires have to be size appropriate for what is being cooked.		
2. Fires cannot be utilized to burn trash, brush or hazardous materials		
3. Fires cannot create a nuisance for others		
4. Fires have to meet both Fire and DEP laws. Copies are available		
Ceremonial and Educational	No charge	FP6
527 CMR 10.22; MGL c. 48 s. 13; EO-144		
• Brush burning permits (Open Burning)		LFD form
Open Burning (January 15 – May 1)	\$10.00	
One time fee for season		
Agricultural	\$20.00	LFD form
One time yearly fee		
Open Burning law is regulated under the DEP		
EO-144; 310 CMR 7.07		
• Ovens and Furnaces	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 10.19; NFPA 86 C-D		
• Rubbish Containers	\$50.00	FP6
Dumpster Permit (6 Cubic Yards or greater)		
527 CMR 34.03		
• Salamanders	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 20.01		

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This year
Due to storm

• Smoke Detector Inspection / Resale Certification	Rates by Units	26F
One Family Unit	\$50.00	
Each additional unit above one	\$50.00 per unit	

Revisits due to initial noncompliance may be charged as additional inspection

• Smoke Detector Inspection / Occupancy	\$50.00	
• One and two family dwellings		
2 inspections (plan review, rough & final)		
3+ family, commercial, industrial	\$50.00 per unit	
Plan review and multi inspections throughout project		
• Special Seasonal Decorations	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 21.02		
• Storage, Combustible Material	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 10.03		
• Tank Vehicles Parked Overnight (Per Unit)		
Tank Trucks less than 119 Gallons	\$50.00	FP44
Tank Trucks greater than 119 Gallons	\$50.00	FP44
Inspections performed at Station		
527 CMR 8.04/14.03		
• Tank and Containers	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 9.06; MGL c. 148 s. 38A		
• Tar Kettles on Roofs	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 10.03		
• Tire Storage	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 10.03		
• Torches and Heat Producing Devices	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 10.24		
• Transportation of Combustible Liquids	\$50.00	FP6
527 CMR 8.04		

Type of Inspection	Fee	Form
• Safety Inspections	No Charge	LFD form
• Site Inspections	No Charge	N/A
• Plan Reviews	No Charge	N/A

Type of Form	Fee	Form
• Fire Incident Report (Per Report) (Public Records Law)	\$5.00	FP32
• Fire Narrative Report (Per Report)	\$5.00	LFD form
• Department Photographs (Per Photo)	\$10.00	N/A

Notes:

1. The above fees are payable at the time service is delivered.
2. Permits are only granted when all laws, rules and regulations are met.
3. Failure to meet requirements as part of permit may result in revocation of permit
4. Paid Fire Details are determined at the time the permit is issued.
5. The Fire Chief or his designee may place additional requirements on permits at time of application, or at any time permit is active to ensure public safety.
6. The enclosed comments and notes are here for assisting the administration of obtaining

fees and regulating permits and actual laws, rules and regulations are subject to change and take precedent over what has been written in this document.

7. Fees may be waived for work performed on government buildings

The fees reflect legislation passed on July 31, 2003 "An Act providing relief and flexibility to municipal officials", that contains a series of amendments to the General Laws.

One amendment, c. 46 of the Acts of 2003, in section 104, contains changes to GL c. 148, s. 10A. The new law allows the Head of the Fire Department to now charge \$25.00 for permits issued under the provisions of 527 CMR. The municipality (Selectman, Town Council or Mayor) may otherwise set the fee, but it shall be no greater than \$50.00.

This law changes the old fee amount which was \$5.00/\$10.00. The law contained an emergency preamble, accordingly it was effective as of the date it was signed. The specific language of the amendment is as follows:

SECTION 104. The first paragraph of section 10A of chapter 148 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out the last sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:- A fee of \$25.00 unless otherwise set in a town by the board of selectmen or town council, and in a city by the mayor, may be charged by the head of the fire department for any permit granted under authority of this section, and any such permit may be revoked for cause by him or by the marshal, but in no event shall any such fee be greater than \$50.00

**Ambulance Billing Rate Survey
November 2008**

Skill	08 Medicare Allowance	Ashburnham	Ayer	Clinton	Hubbardston	Lunenburg	Rutland	Lunenburg New Rates
BLS Non-Emergency Base Rate	\$ 226.85	\$ 330.00	\$ 334.33	\$ 275.00	\$ 325.00	\$ -	\$ -	
BLS Emergency Base Rate	\$ 362.96	\$ 530.00	\$ 534.92	\$ 435.00	\$ 475.00	\$ 475.00	\$ 450.00	\$ 530.00
ALS Non Emergency Base Rate	\$ 272.22	\$ 400.00	\$ 401.19	\$ 330.00	\$ 450.00	\$ -	\$ -	
ALS - 1 Emergency Base Rate	\$ 431.02	\$ 635.00	\$ 635.23	\$ 525.00	\$ 620.00	\$ 635.00	\$ 615.00	\$ 635.00
ALS - 2 Emergency Base Rate	\$ 623.84	\$ 910.00	\$ 919.10	\$ 750.00	\$ 840.00	\$ 635.00	\$ 740.00	\$ 910.00
Specialty Care	\$ 737.27	\$ 1,100.00	\$ 1,086.57	\$ 890.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Mileage	\$ 6.42	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 18.00	\$ 19.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 17.00	\$ 20.00
Oxygen	\$ -	\$ 60.00	\$ 60.00	\$ 68.00	\$ 71.00	\$ 60.00	\$ 65.00	\$ 75.00
Airways	\$ -	\$ 140.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 162.00	\$ 180.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 155.00	\$ 180.00
IV Therapy	\$ -	\$ 140.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 142.00	\$ 158.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 136.00	\$ 160.00
Cardiac Monitor	\$ -	\$ 140.00	\$ -	\$ 200.00	\$ 220.00	\$ -	\$ 191.00	
Defibrillation	\$ -	\$ 140.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 145.00	\$ 158.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 136.00	\$ 195.00
Mast	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 162.00	\$ 110.00	\$ -	\$ 91.00	\$ 80.00
Cervical Collar	\$ -	\$ 75.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 85.00	\$ -	\$ 85.00	
Extra EMT	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 121.17	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 121.00
ALS Intercept	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 275.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	

Skill	08 Medicare Allowance	Sterling	Templeton	Townsend	West Boylston	Westminster	Winchendon	Boylston
BLS Non-Emergency Base Rate	\$ 226.85	\$ 320.00	\$ 300.00	\$ -	\$ 303.80	\$ 320.00	\$ 320.00	
BLS Emergency Base Rate	\$ 362.96	\$ 585.00	\$ 475.00	\$ 530.00	\$ 522.29	\$ 475.00	\$ 475.00	\$ 539.36
ALS Non Emergency Base Rate	\$ 272.22	\$ 450.00	\$ 400.00	\$ -	\$ 487.86	\$ 450.00	\$ 450.00	
ALS - 1 Emergency Base Rate	\$ 431.02	\$ 683.00	\$ 635.00	\$ 635.00	\$ 620.20	\$ 635.00	\$ 635.00	
ALS - 2 Emergency Base Rate	\$ 623.84	\$ 975.00	\$ 820.00	\$ 910.00	\$ 897.65	\$ 840.00	\$ 840.00	
Specialty Care	\$ 737.27	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 940.00	\$ -	
Mileage	\$ 6.42	\$ 20.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 20.23	\$ 19.00	\$ 19.00	\$ 18.24
Oxygen	\$ -	\$ 65.00	\$ 55.00	\$ 60.00	\$ 78.38	\$ 71.00	\$ 71.00	\$ 68.16
Airways	\$ -	\$ 163.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 190.38	\$ 180.00	\$ 180.00	\$ 163.49
IV Therapy	\$ -	\$ 163.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 167.95	\$ 158.00	\$ 158.00	
Cardiac Monitor	\$ -	\$ 195.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 235.17	\$ 220.00	\$ 220.00	
Defibrillation	\$ -	\$ 195.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 167.95	\$ 158.00	\$ 158.00	\$ 158.40
Mast	\$ -	\$ 130.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 111.98	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 96.14
Cervical Collar	\$ -	\$ 80.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 72.00	\$ -	\$ 50.00
Extra EMT	\$ -	\$ 121.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 121.17	\$ 121.00	\$ -	
ALS Intercept	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	